

Wine & Spirits

Top 100 Wines of 2022

97 | Inniskillin

2019 Niagara Peninsula Gold Vidal Icewine While Ontario's 2019 Icewine harvest started officially on November 12, Inniskillin held off until well into 2020 to pick the Vidal for their Gold bottling. By then, the shriveled grapes had gone through a few freeze-thaw cycles, further concentrating their sugars and developing more complexity. The result is gorgeous from the first floral, herbal, sweet-fruit whiff. It delivers everything it promises and more, a cornucopia of bright, zingy citrus and softer, rounder stone-fruit flavors. It feels like satin, too, with 272 g/l of residual sugar creating a rich, creamy sensation while the acidity keeps it all lifted, the flavors crystal clear. —
Reviewed by Tara Q. Thomas.

